

DR. A. C. SEISER DENTIST

KEYTESVILLE, MO.

Office Over Farmers' Bank.

PHONES: Office, 54; Residence, 2.

Now is the time to buy trimmed hats for little money.

MRS. C. P. VANDIVER.

Eddie Keeting and his sister, Miss Flora, attended Catholic services in Brunswick Sunday.

D. W. and J. W. Huff, two young men living near Rothville, started Friday for a prospecting tour to Nebraska.

For bargains in winter goods, call on Wm. Rosenstein, Brunswick.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to Willett & Zook will please come forward and settle at once at J. C. Coleman's store.

Rev. E. A. Hogen will preach at Asbury chapel next Sunday, January 29, at 11 o'clock a. m. All are invited to attend the service.

Big slaughter sale of all winter goods in all departments at Wm. Rosenstein's, Brunswick.

A Wabash freight train ran into a bunch of mules, near Triplett, Friday night. Three cars were derailed, and two mules killed. Traffic was delayed about three hours.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dorrance of five miles northwest of Keytesville went to Kansas City Thursday afternoon to visit their son, Charlie, who is attending the Kansas City public schools.

Sixteen new subscribers this week. The number of people who want the best county paper in North Missouri continues to grow. Come and get into our band wagon and we'll furnish you with a horn. All are more than welcome.

In the issue of the COURIER of January 13 we mentioned some prizes that were awarded H. T. Phelps of near Salisbury on his fine chickens at the recent state poultry show at Moberly. We, however, gave credit to Mr. Phelps for White Plymouth Rocks when we should have said Barred Plymouth Rocks as he is a breeder of the Barred Rocks.

What is the matter with the candidates for township offices in Keytesville township? Several announcements have appeared in the Salisbury papers of candidates in that township. Are the aspirants in this township unduly bashful or are they short on cash? Make your wants known, gentlemen. You need the offices and we need your announcement fees.

Wednesday was the coldest day of the season, the thermometer registering 14 degrees below zero that morning. It was one of those mornings when a truly good wife gets up and makes the fires, and then drives the cow into the house so that her husband can milk without getting frozen. Such a wife is worth her weight in diamonds. Is yours that kind? If not, you'd better get a divorce.

Remember that every old subscriber who pays \$1 on his subscription and who sends us one new cash subscriber for a year gets one of our useful wall atlases as does also the new subscriber whose name he sends us. These atlases are worth 25 cts. apiece. The number is limited. The quicker you act the surer you are to get an atlas FREE. We will present an atlas to each new subscriber in clubs of two or more.

Mrs. Roberta Cowell and children of Broughton, Kas., who have been visiting relatives, near Pee Dee, returned home Friday accompanied by Mrs. Cowell's sister, Miss Helen Clarkson.

Warren H. Taylor, wife and little daughter of Perlee, Iowa, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor, of west of town, for the past week, returned home Saturday.

The editor of the COURIER was hospitably entertained by Brother C. W. Northcott and family of the Sumner Star while in Sumner Thursday night. Come down, Brother Northcott, eat some of our hardtack and get even.

Keep warm this cold weather by buying your winter dry goods and clothing of Wm. Rosenstein, Brunswick, who has made a great reduction in prices.

J. B. Zimmerman of near Triplett bought six fine Thompson Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels of Dr. J. T. Dewey of Keytesville Saturday. Mr. Zimmerman is a great believer in Plymouth Rock chickens and is also one of the most successful livestock feeders in Chariton county.

Mrs. W. C. Gaston and daughter, Misses Kate and Hoyt, who have been living in St. Louis for the past year, have returned to their home in Keytesville, and, as a consequence, Postmaster Gaston is looking pleasant having had a smile frozen on his face by the cold weather. During Mrs. Gaston's stay in St. Louis her daughter, Miss Jennie Lint, was married. Miss Mabel is yet in the city, but will return to Keytesville in two or three weeks.

"The Minister's Son" is an exceptionally clever and remarkable play. Its four acts are filled with comedy, realism and sentiment mixed with a master hand. There is no flagging of heart interest throughout and it tempts the ear to fall upon the lip of laughter. As a vehicle for the display of the peculiar talent of W. B. Patton it could not be excelled. Quaint and original in his methods, realistic and exceedingly magnetic as "Simon Ray, the minister's son," a character full of comedy and pathos, he holds the interest of the audience from start to finish. At the Russell opera-house, Brunswick, Friday night, January 27.

Geo. M. Dewey of Keytesville shipped 25 of his White Wyandotte chickens to Kansas City the first of the week and placed them on exhibition at the Kansas City Fanciers' association at Convention hall. Wednesday's Kansas City Journal reports that Mr. Dewey was awarded first prize on hen, first on cockerel, third and fourth on pullet and fourth on cock. H. T. Phelps of near Salisbury had a Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel on the show, and Dr. J. T. Dewey of Keytesville sent up 20 Thompson Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rocks with the expectation of selling them, but did not enter them in the exhibit.

A pretty maid, demure and sweet.
Paused upon the busy street;
The reason why—I was advised.
"The Minister's Son" was advertised.

It is not always the ornate in architecture that most pleases the eye, the grandest in music that most entrances the ear or the most stupendous in dramatic production that most gratifies the senses. "The Minister's Son" is like a simple melody—restful, though not particularly soul-stirring. The play itself is quiet and wholesome, unfreighted with any giant purpose, any perplexing complication or any wearisome waste of words. W. B. Patton will be seen in the title role again this season. At the Russell opera-house, Brunswick, Friday night, January 27.

CIRCUIT COURT DOCKET.

Regular February, 1905, Term.

PETIT JURORS.

Joe Cochran.....Bee Branch
A. C. Steffen.....Bee Branch
L. E. Courtney.....Bowling Green
W. A. Gates.....Brunswick
William Grimsley.....Brunswick
E. H. Butler.....Chariton
Chris Gesling.....Chariton
Henry Snider.....Clark
Harvey Jones.....Cockrell
G. W. Harlan.....Cockrell
Jay Fulbright.....Cunningham
Thos. Mills.....Keytesville
W. L. Cloyd.....Keytesville
Chas. Forsythe.....Mendon
Frank Himmelberg.....Missouri
R. P. Green.....Mussel Fork
W. D. Fuller.....Mussel Fork
T. M. Bentley.....Salisbury
C. Y. Blakey.....Salisbury
Frank Manlove.....Salt Creek
J. Q. Adams.....Triplett
S. J. Fleetwood.....Triplett
W. G. Wright.....Wayland
S. P. Grubbs.....Yellow Creek
FIRST DAY—MONDAY, FEB. 6.

CIVIL CASES.

1. C. D. Turner et al. vs. W. T. Leach et al, partition.
2. Kate M. Moore, trustee, vs. Otis Moore, equity.
3. John R. Webb vs. Wm. Fulcher et al, partition.
4. T. J. Enyert et al, trustees, vs. A. G. Kennedy et al, ejectment.

SECOND DAY—TUESDAY, FEB. 7.

CRIMINAL CASES.

5. State of Missouri vs. Ernest Lewis, burglary and larceny.
6. State of Missouri vs. Grace Blackford, grand larceny.

CIVIL CASES.

7. W. R. Baker, assignee, vs. W. P. Robinson et al, scire facias.
8. John T. Rector vs. Henry Eubank, suit on note.
9. S. C. Brown vs. city of Higbee, damages—change of venue from Randolph county.
10. Wm. H. Carter et al vs. W. J. Doughty et al, partition.
11. C. C. Hammond, executor, vs. D. E. Johnson, suit on note.
12. Addie Chapman vs. Charles Chapman, divorce.

THIRD DAY—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8.

13. Eliza A. Herndon et al vs. P. K. Allen et al, partition.
14. Wm. W. Barnes et al vs. James Scott et al, suit to quiet title.
15. McDonald Bros. vs. Adams Express Co., damages.
16. Joseph Hackett vs. Mary A. Tobin et al, suit on account—appeal.
17. M. A. Knappenberger, trustee, vs. David Evans et al, suit to quiet title.

18. Bernard Henrich Bocke vs. Olive Harris et al, suit to quiet title.

19. Ira F. Smutz vs. Geo. W. Gilliam, suit on note.
20. Wm. H. Bradley vs. Harrison Houston et al, ejectment.

FOURTH DAY—THURSDAY, FEB. 9.

21. Anna Evans vs. Wabash Railroad Co., damages.
22. T. P. Schooler vs. A. F. Arrington et al, damages.
23. Charles Kossier vs. Wabash Railroad Co., damages.
24. Benlah Patrick vs. Hugh C. Patrick, divorce.
25. J. B. Bushnell vs. Wabash Railroad Co., damages.
26. Ernestine Kothe et al vs. Margretta Morrison et al, suit to quiet title.

27. The Unitype Co. vs. J. L. Ritzenthaler, suit on notes.

28. The Unitype Co. vs. J. K. Robertson & Son, suit on notes.

29. Jacob Wohlgenuth vs. Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co., suit on policy.

30. Lillie B. Crossan vs. Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co., suit on policy.

31. Benjamin C. Grossman et al vs. Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co., suit on policy.

32. B. R. Buffington vs. Wabash Railroad Co., damages.

33. Fred Esler vs. Wabash Railroad Co., damages.

34. Fred Lamb vs. Northwestern National Life Insurance Co., suit on policy.

Clearance Sale!



Of all trimmed and ready-to-wear Hats and Caps, which I have assorted in 25-cent, 50-cent, \$1 and \$2 lots. Many of them are worth

\$3.00

Now is the time to get a nice hat cheap as these lines must go regardless of cost.

MRS. C. P. VANDIVER,
Keytesville, Mo.
Phone 39 1-2.

Ragland White and sister, Miss Josie, of Prairie Hill, accompanied by their cousins, Misses Rebecca and Helen White of Richmond, Va., drove down to Keytesville Tuesday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. O. P. Ray.

Rev. Alpha Ingle, who tendered his resignation as pastor of the Keytesville Baptist church three weeks ago, at the earnest solicitations of his church members reconsidered his resignation and remained in charge as pastor for awhile longer, at least.

John Hoersch, the clever village blacksmith of Forest Green and constable of Chariton township, accompanied by Sheriff S. J. Shaughnessy, was an agreeable caller at the COURIER office Monday afternoon. Mr. Hoersch bought some legal blanks, subscribed for the COURIER and left us an order for job work.

The editor of the COURIER is indebted to E. M. Adams of Brookfield, traveling salesman for the August Gast Bank-Note and Lithographing Co. of St. Louis, for a very handsome calendar. It is one of the prettiest designs we have seen this season, and is a horseshoe, incircled with holly, with a rural residence scene, lake and trees in the background with the moon rising in the distance.

Mrs. Hugo Bartz, Jr., of Keytesville, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Allen of Fulton, Mo., left yesterday afternoon for Pueblo, Colo., for a protracted visit to two of Mrs. Bartz's brothers and Mrs. Allen's sons. Mrs. Bartz also went for the benefit of her health, which has been poor for sometime. But we opine when she hears that Hugo is smiling on other ladies during her absence she will feel sufficiently improved to return home on the next train.

Not Dead.

The COURIER is very much gratified to learn that it was misinformed last week in regard to the death of Geo. B. Harrison, cashier of the Glasgow Savings bank, and president of the Missouri Central Electric railway, who, we said, had died of cancer of the stomach at a hospital in Kansas City, and while we rejoice at our subsequent knowledge of Mr. Harrison still being in the land of the living, we doubt not his rejoicing exceeds ours for when a fellow is really dead, he is dead for a long time. The following letter explains itself:

GLASGOW, Mo., January 21, 1905.
MR. C. P. VANDIVER,
Keytesville, Mo.

DEAR SIR:—

In this week's issue of the COURIER we note that you publish the death of our cashier, Mr. Harrison. This is a mistake as we received word from Kansas City this morning that Mr. Harrison is much better, and although not out of danger the improvement is so marked as to give grounds for hope of his ultimate recovery. He has no cancer, at least such is the opinion of all the physicians who have examined him, but is suffering with ulceration of the stomach. He was in a very critical condition the first of this week and this probably led to the report of his death. Unless otherwise informed please correct this statement in your next issue. He would hardly wish to be numbered among the departed until really there, and he especially would not wish it when he seems to be on the road to recovery. Very Truly Yours,
G. K. RICHARDSON.

Save money by taking advantage of the reductions that Rosenstein of Brunswick is now offering.

Death's Decree.

HALLEY:—Pressley W. Halley died of pneumonia at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Halley, in Keytesville, Monday, January 23, 1905, at 9 o'clock p. m., after an illness of only a few days. He was Mrs. Halley's eldest son, and was born February 13, 1862, and was, therefore, 42 years, 11 months and 10 days of age at the time of his death. Pressley was for several years the main support of his mother and several small children. He was unmarried and was not a member of any church. He is survived by his mother and three brothers and two sisters. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Alpha Ingle at Mrs. Halley's residence Wednesday afternoon, and were followed by interment in the City cemetery.

Miss Clara Whittenmeyer, a lady evangelist from Illinois, is conducting a very interesting protracted meeting at the M. E. church in Sumner, and is being ably assisted by the local pastor, Rev. F. D. Bieber, and the good Christian people of Sumner and vicinity. Miss Whittenmeyer is thoroughly in earnest in her good work and none are left to doubt her consecration to the cause of Christ. Her sermons are filled with loving kindness for humanity and devotion to her God. She has no abuse for anyone, but has a broad, charitable, sweet-spiritedness for all, and she feels and expresses a deep interest in the salvation of souls. The editor of the COURIER heard Miss Whittenmeyer preach Thursday night, and is truly glad he was there, and we hope that she may impress many others as she impressed us. There had been between 30 and 40 conversion in the meeting up to Tuesday night.

Mrs. C. P. Vandiver for a linery.